

Doing What Works Implementation Awards Announced

San Francisco, CA- (01/28/11) WestEd announced 26 winners for Implementation Awards to integrate the resources from Doing What Works (DWW) into their professional learning or school improvement support processes. Supported by the U.S. Department of Education, the DWW website builds a bridge from research to action to help educators implement research-based practices more effectively. The goal of the awards is to develop a deeper understanding of how educators can better integrate evidence-based educational resources, such as those offered by DWW, into their everyday work.

"It's so exciting to see more teachers and schools around the country strengthening their practice and generating tools that others can use to do the same," said DWW project director Nikola Filby.

Of the 92 proposals, the 26 winners represent school districts, support organizations, state departments, and universities from twenty states, along with one national organization. These awardees will use DWW areas including data-driven improvement, quality teaching, literacy, math and science, comprehensive support, and early childhood.

For a summary list of awardees' proposals, please visit www.wested.org/dww.